

Grayling School To Have 4 New Teachers

Four teachers new to Grayling schools will take up their duties here next fall. Three of this year's staff will not be here, making it necessary to replace them, and one extra teacher will be employed. The new teachers are as follows:

Alice Anderson, Marquette.
Eileen LaFave, Negaunee.
Jean Hane, Cadillac.
Herbert Rowland, Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Anderson and Miss LaFave will be in the elementary grades, Miss Hane will head the English department, while Mr. Rowland will start the new school band.

The teachers who will not return are Miss Kinsella, Miss Bant, and Miss MacDonald. Two of them are planning to marry, and the other will be employed in Alpena.

Grayling School Had Fine Teaching Staff

Grayling schools had a good year. Just as one of the graduates said in her essay, Grayling schools has one of the best, if not the best, teaching staff the school has ever had. This was a fine tribute, coming, as it did, from one who has been a part of the high school student organization for the past four years.

Supt. Gerald Poor deserves a lot of credit for the able manner in which he has managed the schools. There has been complete harmony among teachers and pupils and an ever pushing forward for educational achievement. Here is a high school faculty of which any school would be proud:

Gerald E. Poor, Superintendent.
Willard Cornell, principal, and coach.

Frank Bond, sciences.
Jessie McDonald, English and speech.

Josephine Nichols, languages and mathematics.

Eva Dorr, commercial.

Joseph Stripe, manual arts.

Cecil Roberts, mathematics and history.

Martha Johnson, music.

Eleanor Tumath, home economics.

EASTERN STARS ENTERTAIN WORTHY GRAND MATRON

Grayling Chapter O. E. S. had a very enjoyable evening on June 7th, when Mrs. Grace Catterfield, of Flint, worthy grand matron was their guest. Mrs. Catterfield came for the purpose of holding a school of instruction and there was a large crowd of members present for the evening.

A lovely feature of the evening was the dinner given by the past worthy matrons of Grayling chapter in honor of "worthy grand matron, Mrs. Catterfield. Other guests for the evening were worthy Grand Patron Milton E. Miller and wife of St. Clair Shores and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wiseman of Roscommon.

CAMP HIGGINS SHIPPED OUT MANY PINE TREES

A total of 7,861,000 pine trees were lifted, packed and shipped from the Higgins Lake Nursery by Camp Higgins men during the period from April 1, 1938, until May 26, 1938. The trees were shipped to 10 other CCC camps, and were planted for reforestation in nine of the 12 state forests.

Of the total, there were 3,767,200 Norway, 3,834,000 Jack pines, and 259,800 white pines.

Will Attend Wolverine Boys' State

Keith Bowen and John Henry Peterson left this morning for Lansing to enroll in Wolverine Boys' State, that will open today on the campus of Michigan State College, the program being inaugurated by the American Legion, Department of Michigan. Every boy will have a definite and integral part in the functions of Boys' State, which program is to assist in educating our youth in the duties, privileges, rights and responsibilities of American citizenship.

The 1938 Wolverine Boys' State will be limited to eight hundred selected boys.

When they reach the campus they will be divided into cities, counties, and the entire assemblage will become the mythical 49th state and will function for ten days, according to the laws and procedure of the State of Michigan, taking the basic laws of Michigan as their guide.

"Parties" will be formed in city, and county. Caucuses and conventions will be held, and a full set of officers will be elected, including a governor of Wolverine Boys' State, Secretary of State, members of the supreme court, and other officials. The state and circuit courts will be set up. Highway department, police department and other functions of state government will start to function.

In the cities and the counties, officers will be elected. City Councils and County Boards of Supervisors will pass laws, courts will function and every officer of the American system of government will be duplicated in this 49th mythical state.

The existing laws of Michigan will be adopted to nominate and elect these officers. In this manner the boys will learn the duties of citizenship, the duties of the various public officials, their functions and limitations, and their power. Through this effort of the American Legion, it is hoped to develop leadership among the future generations and to inculcate the sense of individual obligation to the community, state, and nation.

There will be setting up exercises every morning before breakfast. Following breakfast the various officials will start the work of running their offices and functioning according to the governmental set-up.

The afternoon will be given over to athletics and contests. Baseball leagues will be organized. Contests of every kind, including tennis, swimming, checkers, hand ball and other athletic programs will be instituted.

Late afternoon will again be given over to the functions of government.

The evening will be spent in an assembly when entertainment, band concerts, speaking, movies and other entertainment features will be given.

The boys will be in charge directly of senior law students and trained camp directors secured from various universities and colleges in the state.

Grayling Post 106 chose John Henry Peterson, to attend and as Grayling's quota was two boys, the Grayling Kiwanis club selected Keith Bowen and will pay his expenses.

Rubber Trees Grow in Florida
Rubber trees of both the Hevea, the Brazilian tree cultivated in the East Indies, where 95 per cent of the world's rubber is produced and the Cadilla of Central America, have withstood several winters in Florida.

Father of Father's Day



Here is Harry C. Meek of Chicago, credited as the originator of Father's Day, celebrated throughout the United States June 19. Meek started the movement in 1915. He has testimonial letters from Presidents Harding and Coolidge, thanking him for making possible a day honoring the fathers of America.

Only Few Nominating Petitions Filed

As election time approaches and campaigns get started it is interesting to note the activities of local aspirants for office. While none of the present incumbent office holders have filed nominating petitions, it is to be presumed that this will be done in due time.

Those petitions already on file at the office of the county clerk are as follows:

For Sheriff
John A. Papendick, (r).
Jesse E. Bobenmoyer, (r).
Maurice Gorman, (r).
Oral Levan, (d).

For Clerk
Alvin LaChapelle, (r).
For Treasurer
Carl Jensen, (d).

MISS LAURA JOHNSON TO REPRESENT GRAYLING

Miss Laura Johnson will go to Traverse City Friday to represent Grayling as queen of the cherry festival which will take place July 13, 14, and 15.

Miss Johnson will compete with the queens from other towns at the Lyric Theatre Friday evening. The young ladies will parade in both dinner gowns and formal, and the audience will act as judges. All competing queens will make up the queen's court and share honors with her.

The Traverse City Chamber of Commerce are giving the queens a dinner at the Country Club earlier in the evening, which will also be a "get-acquainted" affair.

The Grayling Kiwanis club is sponsoring Miss Johnson as queen and everyone is pleased with the selection they have made. We will all be crossing our fingers for our queen's success Friday.

SCHOOL RECEIVES BRONZE PLAQUE

To Clarence Johnson, chairman of the Americanization program of the American Legion, much credit is due for the fine bronze plaque that has been placed in the school, on which each year the name of a boy and girl will be engraved, who come up to the prescribed standards.

The program for presenting the medals was held Thursday afternoon in the school auditorium with a number of Legionnaires present. Clarence Johnson made a few opening remarks and introduced as chairman for the program, Judge Charles Moore. Mr. Moore in turn introduced Chaplain Harris of CEC Camp Higgins, who gave a 15-minute talk on Americanization and made good use of his time.

Post Commander Earl Wood made the presentation of the certificates, medals, brooch and button to the two lucky seniors, who were Virginia Charron and John Henry Peterson. The method of selecting the girl and boy was explained in last week's issue.

Another phase of the Legion Americanization program is the sending of two boys from Grayling to attend Wolverine Boys' State in Lansing June 18 to 25 and John Henry Peterson and Keith Bowen are the young men who were chosen, respectively by the American Legion and Grayling Kiwanis club. Each organization will pay the expenses of the boys while in the capitol city.

LAW-BREAKER

Officer: What's the idea of driving that truck so fast? Do you think this highway is a race track? Haven't you a governor on this thing?

Negro driver: "Nawsuh, boss, the governor is back at the capitol; that's fertilizer you smells."—Yellow Jacket.

Grayling To Play Gaylord Sunday

LOCALS TROUNCED MIO 15 TO 4 SUNDAY

Grayling Merchants, an independent baseball team, has been organized and are an up and coming aggregation. In all they have played six games and have many more scheduled for the season. What they would like now is some support from local fans; everybody likes baseball, so next Sunday when Grayling takes on Gaylord, let's have a big crowd of Grayling rooters on the sidelines. It makes the game all the more interesting to have a big crowd. The game Sunday will be called at 2:00 o'clock. In a game played with Gaylord earlier in the season Grayling won 9 to 8.

Grayling 15—Mio 4

Sunday Grayling trounced Mio to the tune of 15 to 4 on the home lot, and Mio had a large crowd of followers, who came to watch the game.

For Grayling the batteries were Pond and Winterlee. Post and Walter Smith. Grayling garnered 13 hits to Mio's 10, and the locals gave Pond and Winterlee



good support in both the infield and outfield.

Following are those who have joined the club and are playing: Elmer Neal, Bob Hanson, George Hanson, Jim Peterson, Ruddy Harrison, Tom Brown, Jim Post, Walter Smith, Howard Winterlee, Gordon Pond, Ed Chalkier, Karl Sherman, Clayton Anthony, Art May, Dewey Couits, Ken Gotfro, Devere Schmidt, Ransom Murphy, Francis (Tance) Brady is the able manager, Jim Post is secretary, Karl Sherman, treasurer and Myrton Burrows assists in looking after the finances and other business matters.

Thanks to Business Men

New suits for the team have been ordered and the fellows wish through the Avalanche to thank the various business places for their liberal donations, helping the club to get started. On the honor roll are:

Orel (Blackie) Levan.
A. S. Burrows.
Frank Bennett.
Shoppengons Inn.
Paddy Cowell.
Lon Collen.
Grayling Bakery.
Spikes' Keg O' Nails.
Hanson Hardware.
Grayling State Savings Bank.
John Bruun.
Minnie Hartley.
George Burke.
Peter Lovely.
Alfred Hanson.
F. J. Mills.
O. P. Schumann.

MANY ATTEND BOY SCOUT JAMBOREE

Attending the Summer Trails Council jamboree in Bay City Friday, Saturday and Sunday, were a number of members of Grayling Troop No. 72, and they report a fine time.

Those attending included: John Henry Peterson, Edward Martin, Jack Hull, Robert Herbison, Bob Welsh, Esbern Olson, Bill Kraus, Dick Rasmussen, Clayton Gorman, Edward Sorenson, Gerald Burns, C. Wakeley, Alfred Hanson, Frank Jensen. Most of the boys left early in the day in the school bus while others who remained to play in the conference baseball game left after the game that night.

The jamboree was held at the Central high school stadium with tents pitched nearby. There was a well outlined program of events for each day and Saturday morning a parade was staged, and the numerous troops paraded through Bay City's main thoroughfares and were given a great ovation.

Edward Martin of Grayling was in charge of Grayling troop and John Henry Peterson was a member of the Service Troop during camp. The boys all returned having enjoyed the outing and claim that members of Summer Trails Council are fine hosts.

Commencement

Wearing the conventional caps and gowns the members of the class of 1938 marched to the platform on Thursday night where they were to receive the diploma that signified that they had successfully completed their studies in the twelve grades. On the platform with the class were Supt. Gerald L. Poor and Rev. Sidney J. Francis of Rogers City, the commencement speaker.

Invocation was offered by Rev. C. Stockholm of the Danish Lutheran church. This was followed by a musical number entitled "My Morning" by E. DiCipua, by the High School Girls quartette. Miss Johnson was the accompanist.

The speaker was introduced by Supt. Poor, the former taking as his subject "King of Hearts."

After another number by the girls quartette, Dr. J. F. Cook, president of the Kiwanis club, presented the annual Kiwanis award of \$25.00 in cash to the member of the class chosen as the most outstanding pupil of the year. This award went to Miss Virginia Charron.

The presentation of diplomas was made by Superintendent Poor, after which the class formed in line where their relatives and friends extended congratulations.

This ended the first lesson of the class of 1938.

Valedictory Address

Parents, faculty, and friends: As we stand, about ready to take one of the most important steps in our lives, we begin to think seriously about our future and to wonder just what it holds in store for us. In this great step from high school into the vast unknown, we are faced with numerous problems to be solved and difficulties to be overcome. We must not be discouraged at failure, rebuke or defeat. If we are going to attempt great things in life, we must remember that we are starting on a trunk-line. All continental trunk-lines have tunnels here and there. But these tunnels are black only with temporary gloom. It is only the short roads that do not run through the mountains. Tunnels - flashes of darkness - are certain to those who have troubles, difficulties, and discouragements.

During these years in school we have been gaining an education. An education is the ability to overcome and conquer these problems and difficulties. Therefore, whether or not we win out in life is partially dependent upon how much we have taken advantage of the opportunities offered in school.

It is hard to say definitely upon what success or failure is dependent. Success is in us and not in the realms of luck. The world will furnish the work to do, but it is up to us to furnish the effort. The world is a beehive of industry in which we are rewarded according to our efforts. It is said, "Seek, and we shall find." We cannot always expect to find opportunity knocking at our door, rather it will be necessary that we go forth and seek to find our own.

Character is another factor of success. During these years in school our parents and teachers have given us helpful advice and guidance which have played an important role in the molding of our characters and personalities. We have developed these through our daily associations and contacts. Through doing our own work we have learned to be dependable. All these factors will contribute greatly toward our success.

In saying farewell to you, parents and teachers, we wish to express our sincere thanks for the sacrifices and hardships you have endured to make it possible for us to be here tonight. We hope that tonight and in the years to come you may feel that your efforts have yielded worthy fruits and that we may live up to the expectations you hold for us.

Following is a record of Virginia Charron's school activities: Valedictorian.

American Legion award winner.

Business Manager of the Annual.

Candy Sales manager.

Honor Roll throughout High school.

Junior Play.

Member of orchestra for four years.

N. Y. A. worker.

Member of High school commercial team that entered the Traverse City contest.

Fitzgerald Here Monday

Says He Will Defeat Gov. Murphy

Frank D. Fitzgerald, candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, promised to "put the state treasury on a sound basis again" during a pre-campaign visit to Grayling Monday afternoon.

The former governor met friends and supporters in an informal gathering at Shoppengons Inn Monday afternoon. He declared the enthusiastic reception he received everywhere indicate a strong trend toward ousting Michigan's "little New Deal" government.

"It is more important than ever before in the history of the state that there be a Republican victory in Michigan this fall," Fitzgerald said. "This state has been used as a proving ground by the national administration. It was here that sit-down strikes were allowed to start and flourish. A personal selection of President Roosevelt's was brought back from the Philippine Islands to run for governor. He was supposed to carry the ticket, but actually he ran 250,000 votes behind the president.

"The state deficit is approaching the \$20,000,000 mark. Day by day it is piling up a burden of the taxpayers, and the extravagant spending is accomplishing nothing. More than \$8,000,000 a year of it is being used to meet increased payrolls. The Democratic administration in Lansing has established the greatest spoils system we have ever had. In every department scores and hundreds of employees who are not needed, have been hired. The money being expended for patronage is sorely needed for relief and aid for the aged and the afflicted.

"When I took office in 1935 there was a deficit of \$5,600,000. When I left office at the end of 1936 the deficit had been retired and there was a surplus in the treasury of \$8,775,000. This was accomplished by reducing, rather than increasing payrolls and by insisting upon economical, efficient government. It was done then, and it can be done again. The record is there to prove what happened during the last administration and what is happening now.

"I am convinced the people of Michigan have had enough. I am thoroughly convinced I will defeat Governor Murphy in November."

FORMER WELL-KNOWN RESIDENT PASSED AWAY

Theodore Kristofferson, a well-known former resident of Crawford county for over 30 years, passed away at his home in Flint Friday following a lingering illness of several years' duration. Although Mr. and Mrs. Kristofferson had moved to Flint about a year ago they had been frequent visitors here on various occasions, since that time.

Funeral services were held in Flint Sunday afternoon and Monday the remains were brought to Grayling and services held at Danish-Lutheran church that afternoon. Rev. Christian Stockholm officiated at the services and interment took place in the South Branch cemetery. Pallbearers were old friends of the family, Walter Hanson, Alfred Hanson, Sam Rasmussen, Julius Nielsen, Hans Petersen and Holger Peterson. Mr. Kristofferson had been a member of the Danish Brotherhood for a number of years.

Karl Theodore Kristofferson was born in Falster, Denmark on January 13, 1871. When he was a young man he immigrated to America, and on November 6, 1896 was united in marriage to Marie Petersen. To the union was born one daughter and two sons, one son passing away in infancy. On coming to this country the family resided in Grayling for several years until they purchased a farm in Beaver Creek. Both Mr. and Mrs. Kristofferson were hard workers and had for many years one of the best farms in that vicinity. They sold dairy products in Grayling and then Mr. Kristofferson's health began to break down and it became too much of a job for his wife and so they sold their farm to the federal government and moved to Flint about a year ago.

Mr. Kristofferson was a good citizen and both he and his good wife have hosts of friends in Beaver Creek and Grayling who join in extending sympathy to the family in their bereavement. Surviving the deceased besides his widow, are one son Aage of Flint, and daughter Mrs. Ingeborg Leslie of Beaver Creek and six grandchildren, Donald and LeRoy Leslie, Grayling, Betty, Robert, Loretta and Loreta Kristofferson, Flint.

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A Real Sign of Summer!



The arrival of summer here June 21 can be pictured no more graphically than by the barefoot youngster and his fishing pole. Three months of the year's mildest weather lie ahead for local residents, while the southern hemisphere is experiencing winter.

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WHAT kids in the world can have any more fun out of life than our Grayling youngsters? Here they have the best swimming hole in the world, the best trout and bass fishing in the world, a wide area of wild land alive with just about every native bird and game animal of Michigan, fine baseball diamonds, and wonderful climate. Don't you oldsters envy our young boys and girls?

IT MAY be presumed that we will hear a lot of campaign speeches here this summer—and fall. It is interesting to read as well as hear what these candidates have to say. The Avalanche will be glad to publish reports of meetings and if typewritten copies of talks are turned into this office not later than Tuesday afternoon, these will appear in the next issue. If campaign managers are interested in having their speeches printed they will welcome this privilege. This newspaper is interested in printing the news and not political propaganda, but current talks are considered news. May we call attention of party leaders to this announcement. The responsibility of furnishing this newspaper with copies of speeches is yours and will not be considered ours. If the news of your activities does not appear, blame only yourselves.

WE BARE YOU TO NAME THEM

The following paragraph is strictly for Gov. Murphy, but the rest of you may read it if you wish. Now Governor, at Kalamazoo the other day you said this: "The demand for balancing the budget comes from people who want to break down the spirit of the multitude, reduce their standards of living, starve them into submission."

These words are unworthy of a man in your position. If you believe them yourself, you lack the knowledge a man should have to be governor, and if you don't believe them but said them anyway, then you have stooped to the level of a common demagogue who chooses words that will stir up one class of our people against another at a time when we should by all means be working together in harmony.

If you are honest in your belief, we challenge you to name residents of your own state who want to "break the spirit of the multitude, reduce their standards of living, and starve them into submission."

We don't ask you to name all of them, but name a half dozen of the more prominent ones and then prove your statement. We dare you to, Governor.—Cassopolis Vigilant.



Six golfers enjoyed the course Wednesday afternoon. The day was ideal and they had a great time playing three blind holes. Luncheon was served at Mrs. Esbern Olson's and that was a feature also. Mrs. Roy Trudgen walked off with the honors for the day.

Next Wednesday, June 22, the Roscommon ladies will be guests of the Ladies Auxiliary. Potluck luncheon will be served. Please bring a double portion that day.

Mrs. Geo. A. Collen Passed Away

Mrs. George A. Collen, age 72 years, a resident of this county for close to 60 years, passed away at Mercy Hospital at 7:30 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Collen suffered a severe paralytic stroke Saturday forenoon at 11:00 o'clock at her home and as her condition grew worse was removed to Mercy Hospital.

Over a year ago Mrs. Collen fell on the icy sidewalk and suffered a badly broken arm and hip, and since that time has been more or less an invalid.

Surviving the deceased are her husband, two daughters Mrs. Edna LaMotte, Grayling and Mrs. Lucinda Brown, Port Huron, one son Mrs. Philip Quigley, Grayling, and two brothers John and George Ensign of Midland; also there are three grandchildren.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

New Furniture Store Opening Next Week

Grayling's new furniture store is expected to open its doors for business next week. Just what name has been decided upon for the store we have not learned. It will be owned and operated by Clarence Johnson, who has been away for several days selecting the stock. This will occupy the Mrs. Nels Olson building recently vacated by the Nick Schlotz grocery.

That Grayling needs an up-to-date and well managed furniture store is obvious. There is need for a store that fills the demands for local and resort home owners. It needs a furniture store that is alert and progressive and is conducted on modern business principles.

Mr. Johnson is a young man, has resided here all his life and is well known. Whatever he attempts to do he does with enthusiasm and ambition, giving the matter his undivided attention. To use the language of the streets we will say "he is a go-getter" and that he will succeed in giving Grayling a first class furniture store we are convinced.

DISTRIBUTING GRASSHOPPER POISON

Anyone desiring to obtain Grasshopper Poison, please notify your township supervisor of the amount needed. Inquire of John Madley at the Courthouse Garage where the mixing, which is expected to start tomorrow, (Friday) will be done.

Fred Niederer, Supervisor.
Barnage sale, Friday and Saturday, June 17 and 18 in basement of Michigan Memorial Church. 6-1-2

In the Editor's Mail

Respect For The Flag
(By Edgar Flory)
The observance of June 14th as Flag Day surely means more than the display of the colors and the saluting of the flag. The American flag is but the symbol of the ideals which we hold for our nation—of liberty and justice, freedom and honor, peace and democracy. To respect the flag, then, is to believe in and work for these things.

Suppose we salute every flag we see, but tolerate crime and injustice; suppose we wave the flag and sing its glory, but obstruct the progress of our nation toward true democracy; do we really respect that flag? Do not the followers of that sect, Witnesses of Jehova, who refuse to salute the flag because of religious scruples, show far more respect for it than do their persecutors who have no God but the nation.

When officials of cities, wearing American flags, refuse to allow men who differ from them to speak in their cities, thereby violating the constitutional right of free speech, do they not thereby dishonor the flag? When fanatical mobs throw spoiled eggs and vegetables at men who are pleading the cause of the down-trodden, do not these mobs do more injury to the constitution and to the flag than they do to the persons at whom these missiles are thrown? And when these mobs carry the American flag during their attacks, do they not dishonor it all the more?

What will it profit a nation if its people respect the flag with their lips but dishonor it by their deeds?

We respect the flag truly only when we live and stand for the ideals and principles of which the flag is the symbol.

DANISH LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, June 19, 1938

Sunday school: 9:30 a. m.

Danish service and communion at 11 a. m.

Danish Ladies Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. A. Roberts.

Rev. C. Stockholm, Pastor.

Saginawians Here Tuesday

Saginaw wholesale merchants on a good-will tour of Northern Michigan, arrived in Grayling at about 4:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Their arrival was soon heralded by their band as they marched from one end of the business section to the other.

And this was evidently the signal that brot scores of young boys and girls, who had been awaiting their arrival since noon, in line to follow the parade. And soon toy whistles were heard from every corner of the street.

These splendid Saginaw wholesale merchants were most welcome, just as they had been on many former occasions. The representatives of the firms dropped in to talk with their local retail merchants, to renew intimate acquaintances and enjoy a visit together.

Following is a list of the firms represented.

Consumers Power Company—Gas and electricity, R. B. Palmer. East Michigan Tourist Association—Frank Davis.

J. George Fischer & Sons, Inc.—Household appliances, and commercial refrigeration. George H. Fischer.

Fisher-Watson Wall Paper Company—Wall paper and paints. Charles E. Watson.

Flack-Pennell Company—Tools, machinery, supplies and power plant equipment. E. B. Flack.

Case Baking Company—Old Home bread and cakes. Louis Case.

General Electric Supply Company—General Electric appliances and wiring supplies. Harold Hider.

L. A. Henning Company—Sausage and cold meats. Len A. Henning.

Loose-Wiles Biscuit Company—Sunshine Krispy Crackers. Fred Kundinger.

M. & B. Ice Cream Company—Ice cream. Lyle Greer.

Michigan Bean Company—Beans, grain, seeds, feed, flour and coal. Andrew E. Orr.

Morley Brothers—Hardware, sporting goods, electrical, Major appliances, saddlery, mill supplies and plumbing. T. A. Saylor, D. W. Uphoff.

Northern Automotive Supply Company—Garage and service station equipment, service parts. Les Kefgen.

Rainbo Bread Company—Rainbo Bread. Ken Mills, Charlie Hlad.

Reichle Supply Company—Plumbing and heating equipment and factory supplies. E. L. Reichle.

Reid Paper Company—Wholesale paper and novelties. J. George O'Brien.

Saginaw Hardware Company—General hardware, mill and factory supplies, sporting goods and household appliances. A. F. Achard.

Saginaw Lumber Company—Lumber and building materials. Carl A. Bornheimer.

Saginaw News—Daily news. Perry Riddick.

Saginaw State Bank—Lawrence Heydrick.

Standard Oil Company—Petroleum products. Ed. R. Soop.

Symons Brothers & Company—Wholesale groceries, knit goods and furnishings. S. E. Symons, Jr.

Saginaw Board of Commerce—Charles W. Haensel, secretary.

Saginaw Eddy Band—William A. Boos, director.

Saginaw Wholesale Merchants Bureau—William A. Rorke, secretary. William C. Rorke, assistant secretary.

Ladies Beach Sandals in several colors, at Olson's, priced from \$1.00 to \$1.75 in all sizes.

THE KNOCKER'S CREED

I believe that nothing is right. I believe that everything is wrong. I believe I alone have the right idea. The town is wrong, the people are wrong, the editor is wrong, the things they are doing are wrong and they are doing them in the wrong way. I believe I could fix things if they would let me. If they don't I will get a lot of other fellows like myself and we will have a law passed to make others do things the way WE want them done.

I do not believe that the town ought to grow. I believe in fighting every public improvement and in spoiling everybody's pleasure. I am always to the front in opposing things and never yet have I advanced an idea or supported a movement that would make people happier or add to the pleasure of a man, woman or child. I am opposed to fun and am happiest at a funeral. I believe in starting reforms that will take all the joy out of life. It's a sad world and I am glad of it. Amen.—Exchange.

Haze Over Blue Ridge Mountains
The blue haze over the Blue Ridge mountains is due mainly to the scattering of light by fine dust in the lower atmosphere. The scattering of blue light is much greater than that of red or yellow, and besides, as the sky is blue (for the same reason) there is more blue light than any other to be scattered.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson left this morning to spend a few days in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch spent Sunday visiting in Cadillac and Tustin.

Nancy Hoesli spent the week end in Houghton Lake visiting Mrs. Harold Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shereder of Bay City spent Friday at the James Lynch home.

Charles Fehr was home from Tawas City over Sunday visiting at the Gail Clise home.

Misses Patricia and Joan Montour are visiting their sisters in Inkster and Detroit for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Edward Myers of Toledo, have arrived to spend the summer at their cabin on the AuSable.

Miss Marie Tanney of Bay City visited Mrs. Edward Mayotte Monday, enroute to Harbor Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hartmann of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Esbern Hanson over the week end.

Mrs. Harry Connine left Wednesday for Ann Arbor to accompany her daughter, Mary Gretchen, home.

Mrs. Richard Ball and son Ray, of Richmond, Mich., are at Plagens' Camp near Frederic for about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen, of Marlette spent the week end visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Petersen.

Mrs. Herbert W. Wolff has returned from a few days spent in Chicago visiting her daughter Mrs. Harford Kittleman.

Mrs. Jay Skinner spent from Thursday to Sunday in Maple Forest with old friends in the neighborhood where she formerly lived.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Nadeau and children, Jimmy, Judith Ann and Mary Ann, of Pinconning, spent Sunday calling on many friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Catlin of Toledo are spending a two weeks vacation in Grayling visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziebell.

Mrs. W. J. Heric and daughter Patricia Hope are spending the week visiting Mrs. Heric's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Nielsen in Tawas City.

The Misses Anna Nielsen and Mabel Richmond of Grand Rapids spent the week end at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nielsen.

Mrs. A. J. Joseph and daughter, Mary Jane, drove to Detroit Tuesday. From there they will go to Ypsilanti to accompany Bill Joseph home, after attending school at Cleary college.

Joe Merrill, foreman at the Alfred Hanson garage, had his two sons, Wright and Dwight of St. Louis, Mich., and his father, George Merrill of Dewitt, Mich., with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Leslie and sons Junior and LeRoy, were called to Flint early last week by the serious illness of Mrs. Leslie's father, Theodore Kristoffersen. Mr. Kristoffersen passed away Friday.

Leo Schram, manager of the local Liquor store, attended a meeting of liquor store managers at Traverse City Tuesday evening. Accompanying him were Mrs. Schram and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Balch.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson and daughters, Elaine and Donna, spent the week end at their cottage at Lake Margrethe, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Ryder and daughter Jean of Bay City.

Miss Olga Nielsen had as her guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mowbray, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Binns and Mr. Henry Phillips, all of Detroit. On Sunday they enjoyed a canoe trip down the AuSable.

On Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Emil Giegling and Rev. and Mrs. Edgar Flory attended the dedication of the Summer Camp of the Methodist Children's Home which is being constructed at Douglas Lake, near Pellston.

Evelyn Skingley, Bill Joseph and Don Gottho, of Grayling, graduated from Cleary College, Ypsilanti, on Saturday, June 11. The largest class in the history of the college, approximately two hundred fifty students, graduated.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warner of Black River visited Monday afternoon with the latter's mother, Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson, coming to accompany their children Dorothea and Frank home, who had been visiting the last week with their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marvin and son Franklin of Pasco, Wash., are visiting the former's brother Arthur Marvin and family at Lyon Manor, Higgins Lake, for a few days. Mrs. Marvin was formerly Daisy E. Havens of Grayling and when Mr. Marvin lived here he was employed at the Michigan Central freight office; this was during the time Luther Herriek was agent. The Marvins left Grayling in 1908 and this is their first visit back and they are enjoying visiting old friends in the county.

Mrs. Harold Edwards spent last week in East Jordan visiting her parents.

Gerald Herrick of the Alfred Hanson garage is in Flint on business today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. John Erkes enjoyed Sunday in Charlevoix.

Mrs. Frank Barney of Lewiston visited at the Herbert Gottho home over the week end.

John and Miss Jean Michelson of Detroit have been spending a couple of days at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Floyd McClain spent Friday and Saturday visiting her sister Mrs. Paul Dreher in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jorgenson and daughter Leone drove to Traverse City Saturday for the day.

William Hoffman is a patient at Mercy Hospital receiving medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans L. Peterson and daughter Phyllis, spent Saturday in Traverse City on business.

Mrs. Frank May and daughter Frances, left last Thursday for a few days visit in Midland and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William St. Johns, who are at their cottage at Otsego Lake, called on friends here the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Wythe and daughter Sue Earline spent Sunday in Lansing visiting Mrs. Wythe's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmidt enjoyed a visit Sunday from her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Keys of Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Renwick and son and Mrs. Renwick's mother Mrs. Daly, have returned from a two weeks visit in Durand.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Knopp of the Soo stopped in Grayling Sunday enroute to Saginaw, and visited the Leo Jorgenson family.

Clarence Johnson, Miss Fern Armstrong and Mr. and Mrs. Harold McNeven were in Grand Rapids on business Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Victor Thelen and daughter Barbara Ann of Grand Rapids and Miss Margaret Cassidy of Lansing were week end guests of the ladies' mother, Mrs. Thomas Cassidy.

Wm. LaGrove spent Friday and Saturday in Detroit on business for the Nehi Bottling works.

Mrs. Hattie Bliss of Colorado is visiting her daughter Mrs. Roy Boger.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Case enjoyed having as their guests over the week end the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Case of Bay City, and the latter's father, Frank-Brouillet of Bay City.

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Mayor George Burke spent Tuesday in Saginaw on business. Mr. and Mrs. George Schaible and family were in Cadillac on business for the military department last of the week.

Dr. Lee M. Thurston, professor at the University of Pittsburgh, visited over Monday at the home of his uncle, Herb Gottho.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Kveton have moved into the Rasmusson apartment on Michigan avenue. Mr. Kveton is with the Gulf Refining Company.

Mrs. Earl Woodburn and son Richard of Detroit are at their summer home at Lake Margrethe for a few days, opening their cottage.

Emil and Miss Virginia Kraus, students at University of Detroit, the past year have returned home from Detroit for the summer vacation.

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Traverse City, Mich. June 14.—A prince and princess to rule over the 1938 National Cherry Festival, July 13, 14, 15, will be chosen in a contest with entrants from all over the Grand Traverse region. Wednesday night, June 22.

A committee for the event has been chosen, with Mrs. Ralph Keyes as chairman, and they will begin preparations immediately for both the contest and the festival events in which the prince and princess will take part.

The remaining contestants will act as members of the court of the prince and princess and will take part in a novel play, depicting the history of Cherryland, to be presented in conjunction with the coronation ceremony.

All entries were to be in the Chamber of Commerce by Wednesday, June 15. The committee will then take charge and prepare a program for the presentation of each candidate in the contest.

Although the Cherry festival is more than a month away, work has already begun on several features of the celebration, with plans for most of the major events well under way. Committees are at work on plans for the Mummer's Parade, a feature attraction last year, and entry blanks are available in the Chamber of Commerce for all persons wishing to enter floats, or as individuals.

The giant floral parade, climaxing event of the entire festival, with more than a hundred floats representing the merchants of Traverse City and the cities of the region, is being planned, with construction of the floats already begun.

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Want Ads

WANTED—Man to operate coin-controlled phonographs and cigarette vendors. A large corporation will finance 85 per cent of the equipment for a financially responsible man with \$500.00 cash and unquestionable references. Box 490, Grayling, Mich.

FOR RENT—Furnished home. Inquire at Avalanche Office. Phone 111.

FOR SALE—Ice box, porcelain lined. Mrs. Carl Hanson. Phone 71R.

STRAYED—A calf, that evidently came along the highway and was picked up at Grayling Golf course. Owner may have same by paying for this Ad. and for the animal's keep. Milo Case, Grayling.

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Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, June 17, 1915

Mrs. Gottie Kraus of Detroit is a guest at the Mrs. A. R. Kraus home.

Miss Helen Bauman arrived home from Lasell seminary, Auburn, Massachusetts.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hemmings Monday, June 14, at Mercy Hospital, but only lived a few hours.

M. A. Bates, Frank Freeland and Charles Amidon have joined the Ford procession by purchasing cars.

Miss Lucille McPhee is entertaining her friend, Miss Genevieve Zettie of West Branch.

Miss Alta Phiel spent a few days here with Miss Kathryn Scott at Waters.

Mrs. Chas. Adams and children returned Saturday from a few weeks stay at Deward.

Miss Bertha Woodburn arrived from Detroit having been called home on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. J. B. Woodburn.

Oscar Rasmussen left for Milwaukee Tuesday, where he has a position, having just finished a business course at Ferris Institute, Big Rapids.

Miss Hazel Cassidy has the highest standing among the County 8th grade examinations and will receive a free ticket to the State Fair at Detroit.

Miss Florence Smith, who teaches in Reading, has arrived home to spend the summer months.

Mrs. Richert and little nieces, Ella and Margrethe Hanson, left for Bay City to join Mrs. O. W. Hanson. Together they will leave for Marquette to visit relatives.

Miss Gladys Everett gave a farewell party at her home Thursday evening for the Misses Anna and Beulah Dingman who are moving to Bay City. Dancing the one-step and fox-trot made up the evening's entertainment. At 11

o'clock a serve-self luncheon was enjoyed in the dining room.

Misses Irene LaSprance and Nola Sheehy spent Sunday at Rustle Inn, Portage Lake.

Mrs. L. H. Chamberlain and daughter, Miss Marguerite, spent last week in Detroit.

Stanley Insley who has been attending Notre Dame college, has arrived home for the summer.

Mrs. Thomas Brisboe and children returned Monday from Top-In-A-Bee after a few days resorting at the home of her sister.

Louie Joseph is home from the U. of M. to enjoy the summer vacation.

Miss Lucille Fischer, who teaches in Johannesburg, has arrived home for the summer vacation.

A 200 pound sturgeon was speared from the middle pier at Cooke Site dam on the AuSable by William George. It measured 7 feet in length.

Miss Nellie Charlefour of Fredonia was in Grayling on business Tuesday.

Misses Matilda and Helene Stephan of down river have been spending a few days in Grayling.

Lovells
(23 Years Ago)

Mrs. Bateson and daughter Miss Hanna Johnson, spent Sunday in Gaylord.

Florence McCormick spent a number of days last week at Lewiston the guest of Rose and Mattie Gassel.

Florence and Neva Masters, Mack Valley and Grace Swank spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Parker.

Mrs. McCauley, daughter and grandson of New York were guests at the Douglas house Sunday; also Mr. and Mrs. T. Hanson, Hoiger Hanson, Axel Michelson of Grayling.

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Railroads Ask Autoists To Co-operate

Lansing—Forty-two percent of the highway-rail crossing accidents in Michigan last year was due to motorists driving into the sides of trains, the Michigan Railroads Association reported today in an appeal to the motorists to "do his part in preventing crossing crashes."

The state's 1937 grade crossing accident record was a sorry one, the association asserts. Based on ICC reports, only Illinois and Ohio surpassed Michigan, fourth in 1937, in the number of crossing smashups and only Texas exceeded it in the increase in number of these crashes, while Michigan led all states in the percentage of accidents in which motorists crashed into trains. Nationally, there were 4489 crossing accidents resulting in 1875 deaths and injuries to 5138 persons. In Michigan there were 294 crashes with 118 persons killed and 347 injured.

"Study of the crossing smashups shows that the real danger of the highway grade crossing is determined by the action of the auto driver himself," the rail association declares. "No other conclusion can be reached. Here are the facts: 51% of the accidents occurred in daylight hours; 35% occurred at crossings protected by closed gates, active watchmen or working signals; in 68% the weather was clear; in 75% the highway surface was dry; 63% occurred at level grade; in 73% there was nothing unusual in operating practice; in 47% condition of the driver was normal; in 46% the motor vehicle was traveling between 10 and 20 miles an hour; in half the cases the freight trains were traveling less than 20 miles an hour, and in 63% of the other cases the passenger trains were traveling between 10 and 29 miles an hour.

"It seems to be up to the auto driver. The train has a fixed schedule, can't swerve to avoid accidents, is costly and difficult to stop, and must cross many highways. A revival of the horse-and-buggy-days slogan 'Stop, Look and Listen' seems to be suggested as also the use of 'horse sense' and less hurry by the driver at grade crossings. The railroads are asking his cooperation."

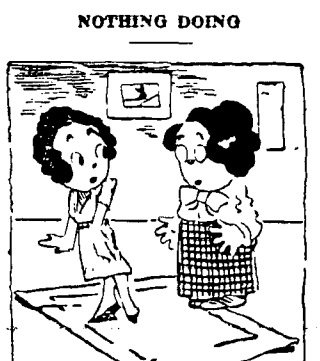
"Walking Maypoles"
"Walking Maypoles" was the name applied to Italian ladies of the Seventeenth century because of the height of the chairs and like clogs they wore. The height of the chairs increased in proportion to the wearer's rank and wealth. Women in moderate circumstances, to say nothing of the poor, couldn't afford footwear that made walking next to impossible.

Fish can live with less oxygen when the water is cold than when it is warm, because their respiration is reduced in cold weather.



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Nothing Doing
Mother—Did the young man strike you forcibly, Ruth?
Ruth—Why, of course not, mother—no gentleman would strike a lady!



IN THE "IVE" CLASS
"Tom used to like my pensive ways."
"Has he changed?"
"Now he calls them expensive."



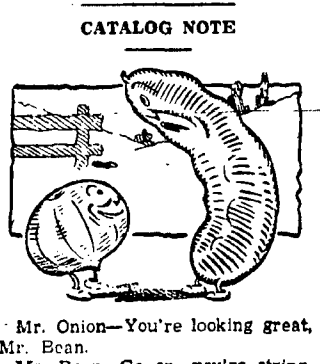
CUT AND SLASH
Judge—You mean to infer that she cut his acquaintance?
Witness—Wusser dan dat, y' honor—she cut his hair.



ASKING HIM
Weary Willie—I has ter pinch ter live.
Tattered Tom—How do you keep outer jail?



OUT OF THE PICTURE
"What's become of the solitary horseman who used to appear in the first installment of a story outlined against the horizon on a hill?"
"He's probably at the bottom of the hill in an automobile with his engine stalled."



CATALOG NOTE
Mr. Onion—You're looking great, Mr. Bean.
Mr. Bean—Go on, you're stringing me.



IF HE HAS A CHANCE
Henry—Do you believe that absence makes the heart grow fonder?
Angeline—Sometimes absence makes the heart grow fonder of the man who sticks right on the job.

City Council Proceedings

RECORD OF CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Meeting held on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1938, Grayling, Michigan.

Meeting called to order by Mayor George Burke.

Councilmen present: Milnes, Jensen, Burke, Sales. Absent: Roberts.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by Burke, supported by Milnes, that all village taxes up to and including 1935 assessed against the following property be cancelled:

Fr. Lots 6 and 7 and Lot 8, Block 18, Ruffee's Addition S. 10 ft. Lot 1 and Lot 2, Block 2, Hadley's Third Addition, Lot 6, Block 29, Ruffee's Addition, Lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, Block 18, Ruffee's Addition.

And all Village taxes from 1932 to 1935, inc. on Lots 9 and 10 and W. 1/2 Lots 11 and 12, Block 17, Ruffee's Addition.

City taxes for 1937 on the following descriptions:

Com. at the intersection of the Nly line of Alger St. with W. boundary line of State St. W. 20 ft. along Nly line of Alger St. NW 74 ft. to a pt. of beginning. Point of beginning—70 ft. W. of State St. continuing in same NW direction 230 ft. AuSable River. Ely along water's edge about 165 ft. S. 230 ft. to beginning. Part of C. Goodale's Addition.

Com. at the intersection of the Nly line of Alger St. with the W. line of State St. on E. side of NE 1/4 Sec. 7, T. 26 N. R. 3W, thence N. 98 ft. W. 70 ft. S. 60 ft. parallel with W. line of State St. thence SW 74 ft. to a pt. on the Nly line of Alger St. 20 ft. from starting point and 20 ft. along the last named boundary line to the point of beginning. Part of Parcel O—Goodale's Addition.

Com. at N.E. Cor. Lot 7, thence N. 256 ft. to pt. of beginning. Thence N. 79 ft. W. 250 ft. to S. bank AuSable river. Thence SW along river bank 88 ft. E. 120 ft. N. 8 ft. E. 180 ft. to place of beginning. Madsen's Add.

Yea: Milnes, Jensen, Burke, Sales. Nay: None. Absent: Roberts.

Moved by Milnes, supported by Sales, that Willard Harwood be granted a building permit to erect a store building according to plans and specifications submitted to the Council.

Yea: Sales, Jensen, Milnes, Burke. Nay: None. Absent: Roberts.

Moved by Burke, supported by Jensen, that Albert Roberts' absence from the last three consecutive regular Council meetings be excused, due to his necessary absence from the city on business.

Yea: Sales, Jensen, Milnes, Burke. Nay: None.

Moved and supported that meeting be adjourned to May 24, 1938, at City Office. Motion carried.

Geo. Granger, City Clerk.

Record of City Council Proceedings
Special meeting held on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1938, Grayling, Mich.

Meeting called to order by Mayor George Burke.

Councilmen present: Milnes, Jensen, Burke, Sales. Absent: Roberts.

Moved by Milnes, supported by Jensen, that Harold McNeven's application for a dance permit be approved.

Yea: Milnes, Jensen, Burke, Sales. Nay: None. Absent: Roberts.

Purchase of a tar kettle discussed and following bids opened: Littleford—50 to 75 gallons, \$335.00 complete. Airol—80 gallons, \$340.00 complete. Beach—50 gallons, \$309.75 complete.

Moved by Milnes, supported by Burke, that the bid on the Airol tar kettle be accepted and the City Clerk be authorized to make the purchase.

Yea: Milnes, Jensen, Sales, Burke. Nay: None. Absent: Roberts.

Moved by Burke, supported by Jensen, that the City Clerk be authorized to execute the required bond on the storm sewer project, in favor of the State Highway Commission.

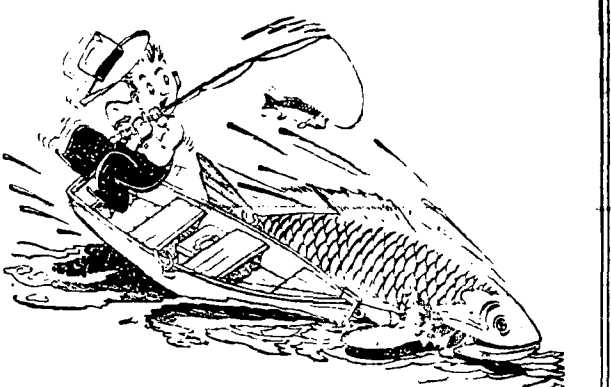
Yea: Milnes, Jensen, Sales, Burke. Nay: None. Absent: Roberts.

Moved and supported that meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

Geo. Granger, City Clerk.

Gladstone—A mass release of "prisoners" from a "jail" occurred here recently, but it was a little different than such events usually are. In the early quiet of a Sunday morning, some daring person defied the law and entered the city dog pound, releasing nine strays which officers had just collected. Besides giving the dogs their freedom, the releaser solved a growing problem of food supply.

TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT!



By IROQUOIS DAHL

ONE of our friends, R. E. Walker of Houston, Texas, was good enough to send us a clipping which tells about a fellow who went fishing in Galveston bay. After catching a mess of fish, he strung them on a piece of wire and attached the wire to the stern of his boat. Pretty soon, some big old sock dolager came along, grabbed the little fish and dragged the boat with him, under the water. The poor fisherman had to swim for his life. He was rescued by a tugboat and it is said that he was just as scared as he was wet—and, boy, he was some wet!

We wonder what the unfortunate angler thinks of the sport of big-game fishing.

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TWO-PIECE DRESS



A circular cut skirt, finely pleated, makes the unusual sun-ray design of this red and white checked fabric two-piece dress worn by Joan Blaine, young dramatic actress of the stage and radio. With its black accessories make an effective contrast. —Photo by Kirsten.

Lightning causes scarcely one out of 100 forest fires in Michigan. Causes, in order of importance, have been listed as carelessness of smokers, incendiarism, land clearing operations, campers, railroads, lightning and lumbering.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the City of Grayling in said county, on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1938.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of George Pratt, deceased.

Lydie Dunckley having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described, at private sale.

It is Ordered, That the 11th day of July, A. D. 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

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Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

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WORDS WITHOUT MUSIC

By LOUIS REID
Music Features & Photo Syndicate

A NEW day is dawning in the Band World. A nation of music lovers and even more important, music performers, such as the world has never known, is rising in America.

The fountain heads of this great and significant development are the schools and colleges of the land. No one knows how many youngsters are today participating in our school bands and orchestras. The number has been estimated at as high as two million boys and girls. The enrollment is growing larger each year and at the present rate of progress, it is only a question of a few years when the United States will rank as the world's greatest musical nation as it already ranks as the world's athletic leader.

Recently at Ann Arbor, Mich., the annual Spring Festival of the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association brought a registration of sixty-seven bands and orchestras and more than 800 soloists. It required three auditoriums and several recital halls to accommodate the musicians in their two-day competition. From all parts of Michigan they assembled. From Battle Creek, Lansing, Kalamazoo, Pontiac, Jackson, Grand Rapids, River Rouge, Adrian, Sturgis, Flint, Grosse Pointe and other cities; from a town called Sand Creek, from such obscure points as Napoleon, Centerville, Walled Lake and such Indian-named towns as Tecumseh and Paw Paw came the musical hosts.

Karl B. Shinkman, president of the Michigan Band Instrument Company, who was present at the festival, tells us some of the highlights of the occasion during a recent visit to New York. He speaks of how the young musicians march in single file onto the stage and to their chairs with more precision and less confusion than the members of a major symphony orchestra. Their serious-minded director steps briskly from the wings, mounts the stand, raises his baton, gives the beat—and you begin to hear things; the works of the old masters—and the moderns.

And what is more, says Shinkman, you hear music played as even adult

bands do not play. "Of course, not all the bands are flawless," he points out, "but many of them are performing great works with an ease—confidence—and a precision that are startling. The band world is entering upon a new era. Standards are being raised and these school bands are surprising the old timers."

This great musical movement had its origin in the Middle West and, naturally, it is further developed there than in any other section of the country, but it is spreading rapidly, particularly in the Southwest. The directors of the bands are carefully trained and in most cases must qualify with two or more college degrees.

New Band Music
Obviously, in recognition of the renaissance of the concert band, much fine original composition is being turned out expressly for it. In the old days music written for band consisted chiefly of marches and quicksteps. Concert bands were obliged to use transcriptions of orchestral numbers. That day is gone. The forward-looking composers of today are writing numbers especially for band. Before their deaths recently, Ravel and Henry Hadley were giving much of their time to band composition. Percy Grainger is notably active in this direction.

This musical youth movement is one of the most encouraging signs in contemporary American civilization. Millions of youngsters across the land are learning to play, understand and value the world's greatest music. And the compositions they learn in school will stay with them the rest of their lives. Having worked on a difficult Wagnerian score or a colorful Beethoven creation, they are quick and ready to appreciate the fine points

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STATE NEWS BULLETIN

Strict Chain Store Supervision Increases Revenue

Leon D. Case, Secretary of the State, calls attention to the new chain stores and chain counters licensed since the first of this year. Twenty new chains have been applied for a license listing, totaling ninety-five new stores. This makes the total number of chains operating in Michigan 1,304. These firms operate 7,024 individual stores. There are 46 firms operating a total of 339 chain counters.

Statistics show that the large chains have decreased the number of stores operated by combining several small stores into one large super store, while the individuals owning two, three and four stores have increased surprisingly in number.

The chain store act of 1933 provided for a sliding scale of license fees, ranging from \$10 for two stores to \$2,570 for twenty-five stores and for each additional store over twenty-five, the license fee is \$250.00.

The total revenue for the year 1937 from the licensing of chain stores was \$736,219.09; an increase of \$38,222.23 over the collections of 1936, which goes into the general fund of the State of Michigan.

Michigan has longer growing seasons, considering the latitude, than states of similar latitude. West of Lake Michigan, due to the influence of the large bodies of water bordering on it. The average temperature of the state is 20.4 degrees in January and 63.5 degrees in July, and her rainfall averages 30 inches.

THIRTEEN SWANS

Thirteen is not necessarily an unlucky figure. As, for instance, that of the W. K. Kellogg bird farm and sanctuary on Wintergreen lake about 15 miles northwest of Battle Creek.

Dr. Miles D. Pirnie, director of the farm-sanctuary, regards the presence of 13 young mute and whooper swans on the premises as fortunate, rather than unfortunate, although he does wish the number were larger.

The fuzzy little swans are among the scores of youngsters whose arrival has added to the population of waterfowl at the sanctuary this spring. The remainder of the new arrivals are ducks, all mallards. These number about 200, hatched in the same 30 nests in the area.

Two of the young swans are being kept temporarily in a small enclosure for close inspection of visitors, while dozens of the ducklings may be seen swimming about with their parents.

Baseball Origins

The "father of baseball," notes a writer in the Detroit News, was Abner Doubleday, of Cooperstown, N. Y., in 1839, when he was twenty years of age. While a crude form of the game had been played for some years, Doubleday introduced the bases and some other features of the present game. Alexander J. Cartwright, one of the organizers of the first baseball club, the Knickerbockers of New York, in 1845, was the creator of the baseball diamond. The first real match game was played in Hoboken, N. J., in June, 1846, and the first baseball association was formed in 1857.

If a person visited one of Michigan's inland lakes each day he could complete the circuit in a little more than 11 years.

MOOSE TRAPPING

Another chapter is now being added to the story of Michigan's moose trapping and transplanting experiment, but without much opportunity for human eyes to witness its enactment.

This is the normal period for the arrival of moose calves, extending through the month, the time depending upon the time of breeding. Like the doe, the cow moose takes good care to hide its young, and it gives added protection in that it is better equipped than the doe to fight off any assailants and fears virtually no woods creatures.

Last year at least a dozen reports were received by the department of conservation of moose calves being sighted in different parts of the upper peninsula. The young moose, like the fawn, is able soon after birth to follow its mother around.

Sixty-nine moose were brought from Isle Royale to the upper peninsula after the herd was found to be starving on the island.

The Fall of Nassau

In 1776, during the war between Great Britain and the American colonies, a fleet of eight vessels was sent by the latter to Nassau, capital of the Bahamas, with instructions to capture the large quantities of munitions believed to be stored there. This force, under Admiral Hopkins, landed a detachment on the eastern extremity of New Providence island and marched on Nassau. Fort Montague and Nassau surrendered without resistance, and the new "Grand Union flag," consisting of the Union Jack in the first quarter and thirteen red and white stripes to represent the independent states, was hoisted over Fort Nassau. The invaders took 100 guns and a small quantity of other war munitions. But they left the following day.

Basilisk Lizards Are Jumpers

Four species of basilisk lizards abound in and near Central America, but are nowhere else. They range in length from a few inches to three feet. Most of their lives are spent in trees along rivers. Great climbers and jumpers, they do not hesitate to dive from a lofty tree into the water. So swiftly do they run on their hind legs that they can "run" across streams. And they can stop so abruptly human eyes cannot follow them.

From Forest to Fireside

Since the ancient Egyptians, centuries before Christ, wove, pounded and polished reeds to make sheets of papyrus, paper has been made of vegetable substances. From about 1880, the most prolific source of paper for printing has been the American forests of conifers, the spruce being the most important tree for this purpose. Virtually all newspapers are printed on paper made from a mixture of ground and chemically digested wood.

Florida Gardens

The Ravine gardens of Palatka, Fla., are located in a natural amphitheater covering about 85 acres. The gorge extends for five miles, festooned in tropical shrubbery and azaleas of many distinct varieties. Along the slopes of the ravine, which rise to a height of 120 feet, are thousands of palms interspersed with native trees. A spring-fed brook, with flower-decked islets, winds along the floor of the gorge.

In 1881 fierce forest fires burned for days in the region between Saginaw Bay and Lake Huron, destroying 138 lives and millions of dollars worth of property.

In Poetry "Rubai" Means a Stanza of Four Lines

"Rubaiyat," pronounced "roo-by-yah," accent on the last syllable, is the plural form of "rubai," a word of Arabic origin meaning something made up of four parts. In poetry, notes a writer in the Indianapolis News, "rubai" means a quatrain or a stanza of four lines. The plural form of the word has become famous in connection with the "Rubaiyat" of Omar Khayyam, a Persian mathematician, astronomer, freethinker, and epigrammatist, who was born in or near Nishapur in the early part of the Eleventh century. "Khayyam," pronounced "Kye-yam," is a Persian word signifying tent-maker and probably refers to the occupation of Omar's father.

Although Omar is known in the western world chiefly as a poet and freethinker, he was a man of profound learning and by profession a mathematician and astronomer. His treatise on algebra is considered the greatest contribution of his country and age to the subject of mathematics, and it led Sultan Malik Shah to appoint him one of the eight distinguished scientists to make astronomical researches with the view of reforming the Mohammedan calendar. When preferment at court was offered him Omar requested that instead an independent income be given him and that he be permitted to live in retirement and devote his entire time to scientific pursuits. Nominally he was a Mohammedan, but his verses clearly reveal a freethinker protesting against the creeds of the Moslem sects of his time.

It is doubtful whether Omar wrote all the more than 500 epigrammatic verses ascribed to him. No critic has been able to establish their absolute authenticity. Omar bears about the same relation to the "Rubaiyat" that Aesop does to the writings known as "Aesop's Fables." Edward Fitzgerald (1809-1883), an English man of letters, made Omar famous in the western world by his classic translation of the "Rubaiyat."

Clonfinlough Stone Is

Ireland's Oldest Monument
A suburb of the old town of Clonmacnoise, Ireland, contains the most ancient monument to be found in all of Ireland. It is the Clonfinlough stone, which is said to date back to Neolithic times, or, in other words, the Stone age. It is the pride of the near-by townland of Clonfinlough, with its church, its school, its post-office and its little general store, observes a writer in the Boston Herald.

Clonfinlough's agricultural area is small, but grows yearly, the young men finding pleasure in annihilating that wicked weed of destruction, the furze, and making it give place to growths of value, notably potatoes, which seem well-suited to the ground here.

The markings of Clonfinlough stone are said to record a fight to a finish between the local cross-men and the invading loop-men, says one authority, with victory for the former, and are similar to rock markings to be found in Spain, proving that there was intercourse between the Spanish and Irish long before the days when St. Patrick brought the blessings of Christianity to Ireland.

Women Follow Men in Hunt

The women in the Kalahari desert of the Bechuanaland protectorate, often with babies on their backs, follow the men on the hunt wherever it leads them. And when the game is killed, they all settle down to a feast of raw meat. After a feast of this kind, especially when the moon is full, the Bushmen dance throughout the night. The women paint their bodies and faces with blood in a barber-pole pattern, and the men adorn themselves with jackals' tails stuck in their hair, and rattles at their ankles. They dance to the moon, fertility and to the living grass, and imitate the hyena and the eland, mimicking the animals feeding, fighting and gamboling. For music they monotonously chant a few weird notes and clap their hands. Sometimes they strum a single wire stretched from a peg in the ground or strung on a bow.

Gave Chorea Its Name

A medieval mania for religious dancing gave chorea its common name. Once started, says the Washington Post, people found they couldn't stop, made pilgrimages to various shrines, found most relief at that of St. Vitus. Chorea usually strikes boys and girls between five and fifteen, strangely, those of above average intelligence. In severe cases the patient cannot walk, talk, eat, sleep, do anything for himself. His muscles twitch involuntarily, act so wildly the disease sometimes is called "insanity of the muscles."

Taj Mahal, Architectural Wonder

The Taj Mahal, architectural wonder of the ages, was inspired by the death of Mumtaz-i-Mahal, the beloved of Shah Jehan. But as Arjumand Banu, she almost died in infancy, abandoned by her father in his flight from Teheran into India. A burden, she was left by the side of the road by her father, Asaf Khan, as war became scarce. Remorse saved her for womanhood, the father retracing his steps to pick her up, unharmed.

ANOTHER FERRY ADDED TO STATE FLEET

Lansing, June 15.—The "City of Munising," latest addition to the state's ferry fleet, will be christened at Escanaba Sunday afternoon, June 26.

With the distance to Munising too far to be considered for the christening ceremonies, city and civic authorities from that community will be in charge of the program at Escanaba. A full contingent of flags will be presented by the city for the new boat.

The boat will leave Manitowish, Wisconsin, where it is being remodeled for service at the Straits of Mackinac, on Saturday morning June 25. It will arrive at Menominee that afternoon where it will remain overnight. The next morning the boat will leave for Escanaba where another overnight stop will be made after the christening program which starts at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon. The ferry will go into service from St. Ignace the afternoon of June 27.

Highway authorities said the Escanaba run is being made primarily to give the new ferry a thorough test after extensive alterations at Manitowish. A secondary reason is the desire of Munising to stage a public celebration which will include an escort of pleasure craft for the ferry as it enters the Escanaba harbor, a parade, floats, etc. Overnight stops are required under Federal Maritime regulations in reference to working hours of crews.

YEAR'S PRIZE ROOKIE



Ken Keltner, rookie third baseman of the Cleveland Indians, shown spearing a line drive at the hot corner, is the most widely discussed newcomer in the American league. Keltner is dazzling Cleveland fans with his brilliant fielding and batting.

Common Milkweed Named for Juice in Its Stem

The flowering weeds known as milkweeds are an interesting group considering the place the plants have in the herb doctor's practice, observes a writer in the Chicago Tribune. The common milkweed gets its name from the fact that a milky solution flows from the stem when it is broken. One of the species (Butterfly weed or Pleurisy root) was used by the Indians for medicine and food. They used the root in the treatment of pleurisy, and the green fruit was used in the cooking of buffalo meat, much as green peppers are used by housewives for seasoning.

The Indians also extracted a crude sugar from the milkweed. The narrow-leaved milkweed has a practical use in the southern states, where the juice of the plant is extracted and used as a remedy for snake and insect bites.

The milkweed provides a fiber that is used in paper making and the weaving of inexpensive cloths. Several varieties of oil have been made from the seeds and the stem.

Use Roses as Food

The Chinese, serve fritters on their New Year's day made from rose petals. Years ago rose buds were served on tables like radishes. One of the legends is that Cupid, hurrying to a council of deities on Olympus with a vase of nectar, fell and spilled the contents. Roses sprang from this nectar. One of the myths pertaining to roses, notes a writer in the Rural New-Yorker, is that Milton, a maid, gave flowers to Venus. This maid had a tumor on the chin and Venus told her to apply roses from the altar to the swelling as a cure. The rose is used in arts and sciences and is related to the apple, pear and berries.

Oysters Are Prolific

Oysters are very prolific. The Atlantic coast species spawn five or six times during the season—from May to August. An oyster may discharge as many as one-half billion eggs in a season. Only a few survive. Less than one per cent hatch and reach maturity. The eggs hatch and the young begin to swim in a few hours. At the end of the day they form a bivalve shell, then attach themselves permanently to rocks or other submerged objects. They feed on microscopic water life and grow rapidly.

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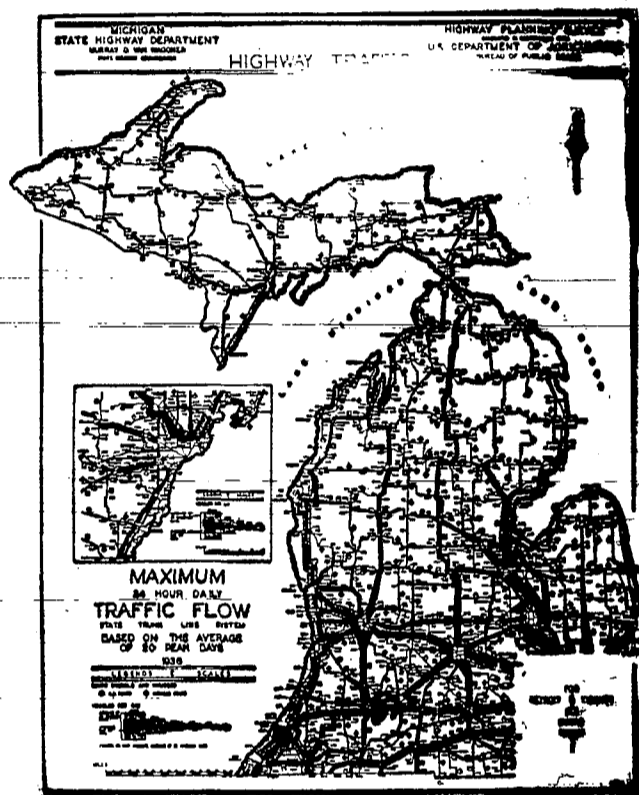


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Traffic Flow In Michigan



The pattern of travel on Michigan highways is shown on the first traffic-flow map produced in seven years. The heavy bands represent the average daily traffic while the maximum load embraces the shaded areas beyond these heavy bands as well. Normal traffic on nearly every trunkline in the state doubles sometimes during the year.

DEMPEY PICKS SCHEMELING TO WIN

Jack Dempsey, one of the greatest heavyweight champions of all time, picks the German to beat Louis in the championship fight. Read the reasons for his choice in the article by the Manassa Mauler, himself. It appears in This Week, the color-gravure magazine with Sunday's Detroit News.

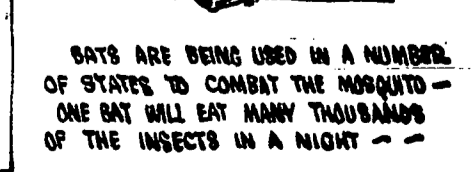
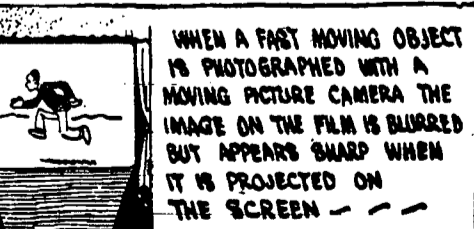
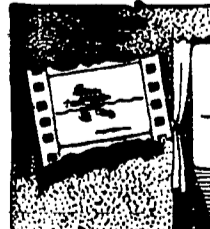
Milford-White, Albert Hall

was enroute to Alpena, a large buck deer leaped from the roadside into the side of the traveling auto. The deer's head shattered the windshield, and its body swung around and caved in the door several inches. The buck was in the middle of a leap, and with closer timing might have jumped through the car window, seriously injuring the driver. Hall was not hurt.

Shine? Shine? Yes, Sir, You're Next



It seems like a dream to have your shoes massaged by a beautiful blonde bootblack. Either a dream or Los Angeles. Lucille Swopes, nineteen-year-old Nebraska high school girl, came to Hollywood two years ago with "ideas" that didn't sell. The other day she answered an ad and got a job as a bootblack over a lot of competition. Her boss says business has improved so much that he plans to open a shoe shine parlor with all blonde bootblacks. The picture shows Lucille at work.



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Elmer Neal is building a new home on the lot next to Mrs. Frank Malloy.

See the new summer shades of Admiration Hosiery at Olson's, 79 cents to \$1.25.

Royal A. Wright was dismissed from Mercy hospital Monday evening, after an appendectomy.

The Rasmussen building occupied by the Grayling Funeral home has been nicely repainted white.

RUMMAGE SALE, Danebod Hall (basement) Saturday, June 25. Quantity of mens wear. Open all day and evening. 6-16-2

Miss Georgiana Olson and Mrs. Ronnow Hanson were initiated into Grayling Chapter O. E. S. at their meeting last week.

There will be a rummage sale Friday and Saturday, June 24 and 25, afternoons only, at the Masonic temple, given by the Eastern Stars.

Leo Jorgenson has sold his cottage at Lake Margrethe to Mrs. Algot Johnson. This makes three cottages on this landing owned by the Johnsons.

Mrs. Emerson Brown of Port Huron arrived in Grayling Wednesday called here by the serious illness of her mother Mrs. Geo. A. Colleen. Mrs. Colleen passed away this morning.

City Manager George Granger and wife have had as their guests a few days, Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Brown of East Lansing. Mr. Brown and Mr. Granger are fraternity brothers and graduates from M. S. C. The two men enjoyed a three-day AuSable river trip from Grayling to Mio and caught a number of good sized brown trout, as well as a few brooks and rainbows.

Joseph Fournier is having a new garage built at the rear of his home.

Children's white, black and smoked elk shoes, priced at \$1.25. Olson's.

Mrs. Adler Jorgenson's home is looking very nice with a fresh coat of white paint.

Dr. C. G. Sigwart of Flint is assisting Dr. J. Fred Cook in his dental office for the summer.

It's a pretty rustic entrance that has been placed at the side door entrance to the Fischer Hotel Dining room. Very inviting and attractive.

John Brady, who was injured in the section motor car accident last week is getting along nicely at Mercy Hospital.

There is a day and night shift working on the storm sewer project on the highway, so as to complete the work by July 1st.

Larry Lee Larson, son of Mrs. Ruby Larson is ill at their home with scarlet fever and the home is under quarantine. However the child is getting along nicely.

Mr. Gus Aldrich of Flint is the new barber at the Walter Cowell shop. Mr. Aldrich says business is tough in Flint and this is the first time in 35 years that he has had to take a job out of the city.

Phyllis June Bennett was six years old last week Thursday and her mother invited in 12 little girls to help her celebrate the event. They had a great time at Phyllis' party and of course there was cake and lots of ice cream.

Mrs. Floyd SanCartier entertained the Junior Ladies Aid at her home Thursday evening. After the business of the meeting was taken care of, the hostesses served a delicious lunch to the ladies.

Horseshoe Lake Night club, north of Frederic on U. S. 27, featuring two orchestras, with dancing every night except Tuesday, is getting fine crowds. A good place to have a good time. Come and bring your friends.—Adv.

Capt. Bryant, formerly of CCC camps Hartwick Pines and AuSable, was in Grayling Tuesday.

Capt. Bryant is now located at Camp Custer and is inspector of the CCC camps of lower Michigan. He was making an inspection of the camps in this vicinity.

There will be a Democratic picnic Sunday, June 19th at 12 o'clock noon at the baseball park. The committee requests that everyone bring his family and sandwiches. "Refreshments will be served free." John N. Fegan, state tax commissioner, will be the speaker.

Michigan citizens pay a needlessly large sum—nearly four million dollars every year—to hospitalize tuberculosis patients. Half that amount would be sufficient if cases were found early and hospitalized immediately, according to the Michigan Tuberculosis Association.

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Mrs. J. L. Martin, Mrs. Earl Hewitt and Mrs. Carlton Wythe entertained the American Legion Auxiliary for their regular social meeting Tuesday evening at the home of the former. Bunco was enjoyed, high scores being held by Mrs. A. J. Nelson and Mrs. Wilfred Laurant. The hostesses served a very lovely lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnow Hanson are getting their home on Peninsular avenue ready for occupancy this fall. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cornell, who have been occupying it have moved into the Bissonette house, the Frank Bonds moving into the home they recently purchased of Joseph Kernosky.

Dr. C. G. Clippert, who is a member of the public relations committee of the State Medical society, was the guest speaker at the monthly meeting of the medical society of Emmett, Antrim, Charlevoix and Cheboygan counties last week Thursday evening at Petoskey. He spoke on the American Medical association economic survey.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Poor left Grayling this week. They will be in Ann Arbor again for the summer where Mr. Poor will attend the eight weeks summer session of the University. In case there is any business in connection with the school, Mr. Poor can be reached at 1207 Willard, or the matter can be taken up with Roy Milnes or Dorothy Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. John McMillan and daughter Marilyn attended the Golden wedding celebration of the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McMillan at their farm home near East Jordan Saturday. There were some 100 members of the family in attendance at the affair. Mrs. McMillan is remaining in East Jordan for the week to get their household things ready to bring here when they will move to their new home that is being erected on M-83 at Lake Margrethe. The house is nearing completion and they will be moving from the Randolph cottage into it.

See Lloyd Perry for a good used car, at Burke's Garage 4f.

Mrs. A. L. Roberts is ill at her home with the flu.

Next Sunday is Father's Day, June 19. Honor thy father on that day.

Miss Beverly Schaible is the new assistant bookkeeper at Burke's Garage.

Men! See our special prices in gray, tan, white and black oxfords. Olson's.

Mrs. Samuel Rasmussen, Mrs. J. L. Martin, Mrs. Carl Nielsen, Mrs. Alfred Hanson and Mrs. Leo Jorgenson are attending the 16th district meeting of the American Legion held in Rose City this afternoon.

Furnished house to rent. Inquire of O. P. Schumann at Avalanche office. Phone 111 or 42.

Health Officer Mrs. Agnes Bissonette reports several new cases of chicken pox and there are also some measles cases in the city.

The W. P. A. have started work at the Grayling Fish Hatchery, building more ponds, and adding more scenic places for tourists to visit. This is on the north side of the road and east side of the bridge.

Paul Lovely is able to be out again after being ill at his home for a couple of weeks, he having suffered a slight paralytic stroke. Mr. Lovely who cooks at the restaurant of his brother Peter Lovely is not able yet to be back on the job.

Mrs. Carl Larson entertained a group of girls Friday evening to celebrate the birthday anniversary of her daughter, Miss Lucille Larson. The evening was spent playing bunco and other games, after which a delicious lunch was served. Lucille was the recipient of many lovely gifts.

Larry Gordon Pond was two years old Saturday and that afternoon his mother Mrs. Gordon Pond entertained six little tots and their mothers in honor of the occasion. Larry saw to it that his little guests had a good time including himself. Two lovely birthday cakes graced the lunch table.

As a memorial to veterans of all wars a huge stone has been mounted in the City park overlooking the AuSable river at the U.S. 27 bridge. Negotiations are being made for an inscription to be placed on same. Grayling Post 108 American Legion are responsible for its erection in the park.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Snyder of Grand Rapids, Ohio, have arrived at their summer resort on Jones Lake. The Snyders own 40 acres of land on the lake and eventually hope to make the place their permanent home. They have two log cabins, one of which they occupy and they have a third one in the course of construction.

Word from Grace Hospital, Detroit, says that James Reynolds, who is a patient there, following the accident of the section motor car the forepart of last week, is getting along nicely. It was necessary to operate on the arm of Mr. Reynolds Saturday morning to properly set the bone, the break being a bad one.

Rummage sale, Friday and Saturday, June 17 and 18 in basement of Michelson Memorial church. 6-9-2

Mrs. Wesley Dunham (Vivian Dawson) and Miss Ruth Olson, the latter the daughter of Mrs. James Olson of Grand Blanc were guests of honor at a double kitchen shower at Caro Sunday. The party was given by their aunt Mrs. Andrew Larson. Miss Olson will be married Sunday in Grand Blanc. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson, son Dick, and Mrs. Dunham and Hans Petersen spent the day in Caro.

Mrs. T. Boeson entertained some twenty guests at the Lemler cottage at Lake Margrethe, for the pleasure of Mrs. Boeson's grandson, Robert Herbison and grandniece, Regina Lemler, daughter of Mrs. Edna Lemler of Muncie, Ind. The forepart of the evening was spent playing several games, after which the hostess served the guests hotdogs, doughnuts and coffee, which everyone enjoyed immensely. After lunch the group sang several songs, and all during the evening were kept in laughter by the Lemler parrot.

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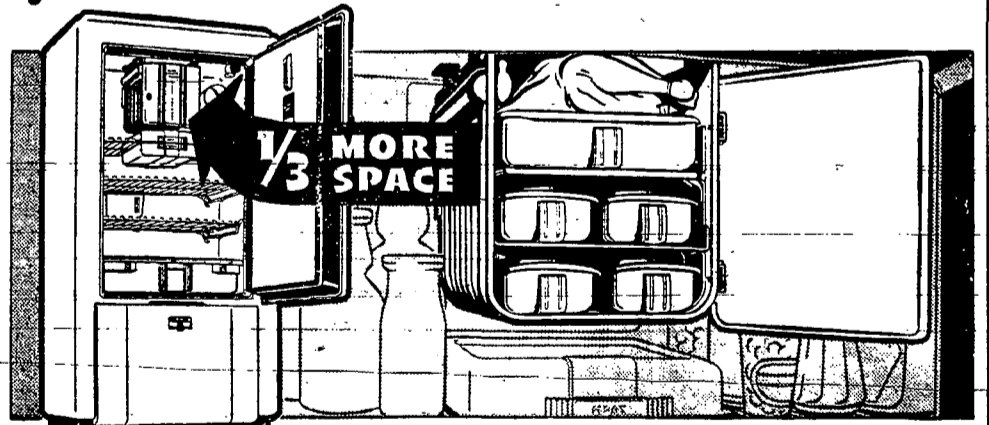
Regular \$2.95 Dresses for

\$1.95**Grayling Mercantile Company**

The Quality Store

Phone 125

Clayton McDonnell has been acting as host for a few days to the sales tax inspectors of northern Michigan. Business meetings were held in the school auditorium.

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Exclusive with Westinghouse**It's Kitchen-proved!****SAVES FOOD!**

Certified average results in 102 Westinghouse Proving Kitchens show savings on food alone of \$9.10 a month... Kitchen-proved!

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More average results: Ice cubes frozen in 56 minutes, desserts in 65 minutes; Also shopping trips cut in half... Kitchen-proved!

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Refrigeration costs cut 62c a week — The ECONOMIZER mechanism, 10 hours out of 12, USED NO CURRENT at all (averages)... Kitchen-proved!

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Grayling, Michigan

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Parts**We have New and Used Tires and
Tubes for all Cars.The price is \$2.50 up for Used Tires
Bring in your Junk and will Trade you**GRAYLING
FUNERAL HOME**

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Four bridge tables with chairs to match. Just call and get them and return promptly. No charge.

Ambulance Service.

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Norman E. Butler,
Manager**"A Warning"**

All persons discharging any fireworks of any kind in the City of Grayling, will be arrested and taken to court on the grounds of disturbing the peace and being a public nuisance, without any further notice.

ALSO, any Merchant caught selling same, will be liable to arrest, as it is against the State Law in Michigan.

Let's be good; live and let live in peace.

CHIEF OF POLICE,

Morgan K. Paige, Grayling, Mich.

IT'S SMART TO DRINK



PLEASANTLY TANGFUL



The Michigan Mirror

Non-partisan News Letter
Michigan Press Association
By GENE ALLEMAN

Lansing—Sentiment is rising for us. We are ready to give for a bridge over the Straits of Mackinac, linking the upper and lower peninsulas and solving permanently the problem of car travel between the two peninsulas. The distance from Detroit to Ironwood is greater than from Detroit to New York City. The land in the two peninsulas equal the total land of England and the Wales put together. Yes, it's a big state.

At the Ironwood round-up we heard emphatic statements on every hand of the practical necessity of a span at the Straits.

Engineer Boosts It
Five years ago the idea of a bridge from Mackinac City to St. Ignace was regarded by state officials here as rather fantastic.

Not only was the engineering problem gigantic, but its financing offered a stumbling block to planners. The length of the structure would be about five miles, a maximum span of 1,700 feet with 150 feet clearance above the water and the maximum foundation depth for two piers supporting the main span of about 200 feet.

As for the cost, Prof. J. H. Cissel of the University of Michigan, secretary of the Mackinac Island for an average traffic increase at the Straits of 22 1/2 per cent each year.

Last week-end we journeyed nearly 500 miles to Ironwood for an annual meeting of the Upper Straits bridge authority, estimates the total investment at 25 to 35 million dollars and he insists that the bridge will pay its own way from the start in toll charges.

Completion of the San Francisco-Oakland bridge and the Golden Gate bridge have convinced skeptics that the Mackinac span is possible as an engineering achievement. Michigan's tourist business is growing steadily, and highways in the upper peninsula are yet in the early stages of development. Project the tourist needs 25 years from today, and you will find it easy to be convinced that the Straits span would be an outstanding asset.

\$100,000 Promotion
Newspaper space, worth \$100,000 a year, is offered free to the tourist industry of Michigan by daily and weekly newspapers in the Michigan Press association under the leadership of Chester M. Howell, publisher at Chesaning.

In a speech before the Upper Peninsula Development bureau, Howell declared that newspapers were ready to pledge this amount of their space for promotion of every section of Michigan in a co-operative program designed to acquaint residents with their recreational, industrial and agricultural resources.

The "Know Michigan" program, Howell said, would effect \$10 worth of advertising for every \$1 of actual cost in preparation of photographs, news articles, maps and other incidental expense. And not a dime of it would go directly to any newspaper.

"Newspapers of Michigan have faith in the tourist industry," said Howell. "We realize that what is good for Michigan is good for us."

Editors handed a \$2,600 refund to the state administration last October from a \$10,000 appropriation for publicizing Michigan through a tour of the National Editorial association.

Norman Thomas
The fanfare at Jersey City over Mayor Hague's free speech ban against Norman Thomas, socialist leader, recalls the tameness of Thomas' visit to the Michigan capital city.

At Michigan State college where students tossed labor agitators into the river as an episode of the C.I.O. city holiday in 1937, the stately and scholarly Norman Thomas spoke at the People's church. College classes were dismissed by order of President Robert Shaw, so that students could hear him.

Instead of getting columns of newspaper publicity glorifying him, Thomas found that he was just another lecturer. The whole affair proved to be as unexciting as a strawberry soda.

Communist Influence
Following the C.I.O. "holiday" here at the Capitol City, Governor Frank Murphy sparked budding law and order leagues and declared that communistic influences had been responsible for the labor uprising.

Like a ghost of 1937 sit-down strike, William W. Weinstone, secretary of the Michigan Communist party, declared at the 10th national convention of the Communist party in New York City two weeks ago that communists in Michigan should support Governor Murphy for re-election.

It is all a bit annoying to leaders in democratic circles. Communists favor a united front for "progressive action in the 1938 elections."

And so, whether the governor wants them or not, he's going to have the communists on his side next November!

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere appreciation is extended to those who were so kind during our late bereavement, the passing of our husband and father. We wish to thank Rev. Stockholm and the choir for the beautiful service. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barker of Flint for their extreme kindness, and many others for the lovely expressions of sympathy.

Mrs. Theodore Kristofferson and Family.

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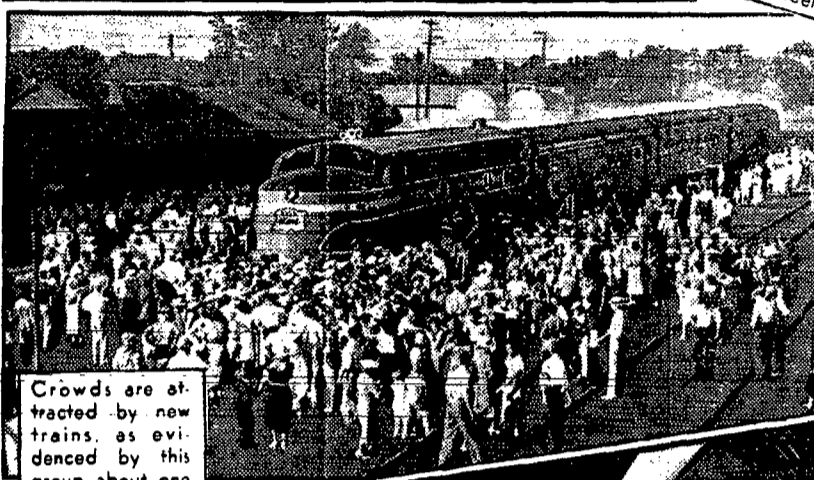
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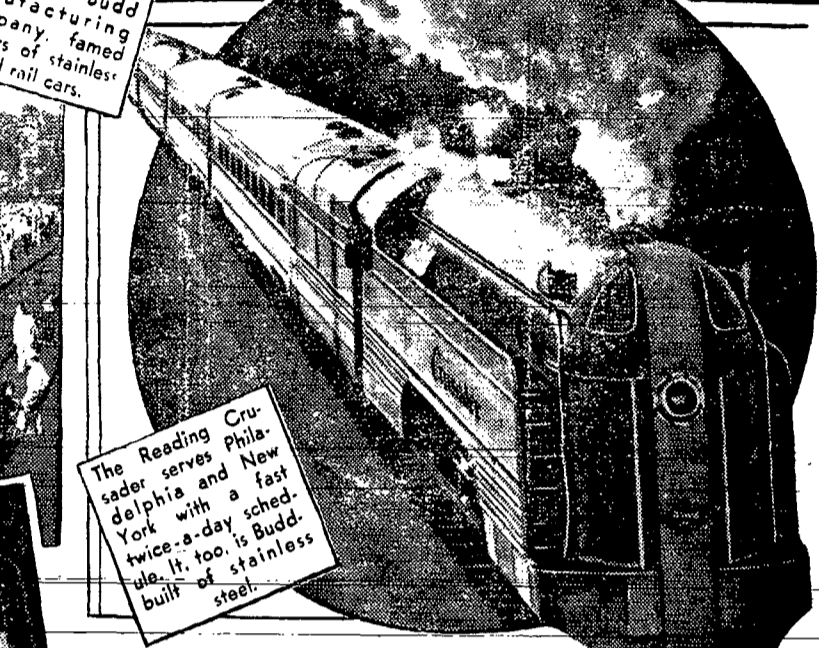
Travelers now may ride from New York to the Pacific Coast by streamlined train. This new Broadway Limited fleet leader of the Pennsylvania cuts the New York-Chicago schedule to 16 hours.



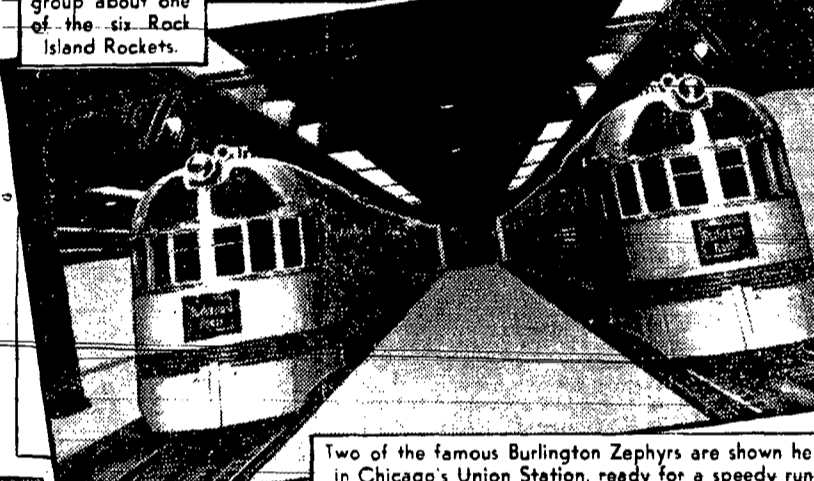
Luxurious new diner for the Pennsylvania. It was designed and constructed by the Edward G. Budd Manufacturing Company, famed builders of stainless steel rail cars.



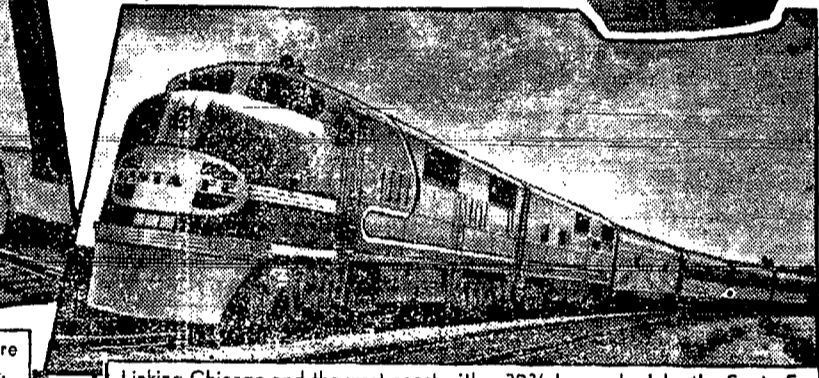
Crowds are attracted by new trains, as evidenced by this group about one of the six Rock Island Rockets.



The Reading Crusader serves Philadelphia and New York with a fast twice-a-day schedule. It, too, is Budd-built of stainless steel.



Two of the famous Burlington Zephyrs are shown here in Chicago's Union Station, ready for a speedy run.



Linking Chicago and the west coast with a 39 1/4 hour schedule, the Santa Fe Super Chief, Budd-built, heads the largest fleet of streamlined trains in the world.



Competent and attractive hostesses aid travelers to enjoy their journey on streamliners. Here is a spacious, comfortable chair car on one of these modern trains.



Paralleling the New York-Chicago service of the Pennsylvania, the New York Central adds this new Twentieth Century Limited. In trial runs this train hit 105 miles an hour.

Constantine—According to a bold-face advertisement in a recent issue of the Constantine Advertiser-Record, a local farmer has a way to get rid of unwanted pooches and to decrease sheep killing, all in one operation. The advertisement was:

Notice To Dog Owners of Constantine
If you don't want your dogs, send them out to my sheep fields, and I'll kill them for you.

(Signed) A Farmer.

There are about 12,000 brook trout eggs to the quart, while while walleyed pike eggs average 150,000 to the quart.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Grayling, in said county, on the 15th day of June A. D. 1938.

Present: Hon. Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Louis LaMotte, Sr., deceased.

Axel M. Peterson having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, That the 11th day of July, A. D. 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Charles E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

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Michelson Memorial Church

A Community Church
Edgar Flory, Pastor.

Sunday, June 19th
10 o'clock—Primary church.
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